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TRAGIC EVENTS IN ALASKA ON
LAND AND WATER.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette]

On board Cottage City, Jan. 20.

The winter of 1899 and 1900 will re-
main long in the memory of those per-
sons who resided in Alaska, and espe-
cially those of Skagway, White Pass,
and the near vicinity. Two nights of
December 17 ushered in the first se-
vere snow storm since the first of the
winter.

blowing a veritable blizzard for forty-
eight hours, and the snow was piled
in huge drifts many feet deep. On the
night of the 19th the wind veered
around to the south and a warm
rain came down for several hours which
thawed the snow close and lowered the
drifts, but the weather soon turned
colder and more snow fell, the wind
changing again to the north, continuing
without interruption, and with dark
days up to the 18th of January, 1900,
the mercury falling below zero, and
the snow covering the earth to a
depth of three feet on a level with
drifts so deep in the streets of Skagway
that tunnels were dug through them for
passage of the pedestrians. No storm of
wind and snow have ever occurred in the
memory of the oldest inhabitants, and
two persons have resided in Skagway,
or on the same spot, for ten years or
more. The steamers from Seattle ex-
perienced terrible gales and rough pas-
sages. The "Townsend" got to Skagway
safely, and, started on her return
trip to the mission, eighteen miles down
Lynn canal and getting aloft, made a
few miles when her boilers sprung a
leak and she was blown ashore becom-
ing a total wreck; the crew and pas-
sengers barely escaping with their lives,
and being compelled to travel for miles
through a place of safety. The
"City of Seattle" on her down trip left
Skagway for Juneau, and after running
through the storm for several miles lost
her propeller and lay floundering off
the rocks with her anchors out. Steamer
and all would have been lost had not
her assistance and towed her to Juneau,
thirty miles distant. It was a providen-
tial circumstance indeed, as the
"Cottage City" was a day ahead of
time on her up trip, and had reached
Juneau where a relief party from the
stranded vessel with five brave men
made their way and notified the cap-
tain of the situation; six or eight hours
more and it would have been too late.
After towing the "City of Seattle" to
Juneau, but it took her all day Mon-
day and until Tuesday afternoon to
battle against the storm. When she
arrived at Skagway she looked like a
great white bird drifting over the
waters, being covered with ice and
snow from stern to stern, and her ropes
great cables of ice. Tuesday night the
storm was very severe, and the "Cot-
tage City" lay at the dock all night,
the thermometer at zero, the snow fall-
ing and the wind blowing heavy-
ly. At three o'clock on Wednesday
day morning the Brannick Hotel, one
of the best in Skagway, was totally
destroyed by fire, losing all its contents,
the guests only escap-
ing. The fire department struggled
valiantly and succeeded in saving the large
store building on the opposite side of the
street. The passengers on the "Cot-
tage City" were all in their bunks and
only got the particulars of the fire three
days afterward, upon arrival at Juneau,
although the steamer did not leave the
dock at Skagway until 6 o'clock Wed-
nesday morning.

The trip to Sitka was very stormy
and the steamer laid over two nights,
arriving at Juneau Friday night. Among
the passengers on the disabled
"City of Seattle" was the widow of a
prominent business man of Skagway,
who a few days before had lost his life.
He slipped off the gangplank of a
steamer and fell into the water, the
shock killing him instantly. The wid-
ow and her little boy were accompany-
ing the remains, and after the accident
they were transferred to the "Cottage
City" to proceed on their way to Cal-
ifornia, their former home.

Another sad occurrence to a family
in Skagway is the loss of one of the
sons, who he had been missing for several
weeks. He left Dawson for Skagway,
got over the rail in safety as far as
Minto, and in company with two other
sons left Minto for the next station, only
fourteen miles distant, since which
time not even a trace has been found of

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and I kindly solicit a continuance to my suc-
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